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PRICE, \$2 PER MONTH.

AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON.—F. ALGAR, 11 & 12, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street, E.C. GEORGE STREET & Co., 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GORCH, Leadenhall Street, E.C. BATES & CO., 150, & 151, Leadenhall Street.
PARIS AND EUROPE.—AMÉDÉE PRINCE & Co., 26, Rue Lafayette, Paris.
NEW YORK.—ANDREW WIND, 21, Park Row.
AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND.—GORDON & GORCH, Melbourne and Sydney.
SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports generally.—BEAN & BLACK, San Francisco.
SINGAPORE, STRAITS, &c.—SAYLES & Co., Square, Singapore. O. HERNIMAN & Co., Malacca.
CHINA.—MACAO, F. A. DE CRUZ, Rua da Cruz, Quilão & Co., Amoy, Wilson, NICHOLSON & Co., Fuzhou, HEDDER & Co., Shanghai, LAURE, CHAMPAGNE & Co., and LEE & WAH, Yokohama, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., and KELLY & Co.

Banks.

NOTICE.

RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS' BANK.

- 1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.
- 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$200 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.
- 3.—Depositors in the Savings' Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest.
- 4.—Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent. per annum will be allowed on depositors on their daily balances.
- 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass-Books but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.
- 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked "Hongkong Savings' Bank Business" is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.
- 7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the depositor or his duly appointed agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary.

For the HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION,
T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, May 7, 1885. 764

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL.....\$7,500,000
RESERVE FUND.....\$4,500,000
RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF DIVIDENDS.....\$ 500,000
RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHAREHOLDERS.....\$7,500,000

GOVERNOR OF DIRECTORS.
Chairman—Hon. F. D. SASSON.
Deputy Chairman—A. MOYER, Esq.
C. D. BORTHOLMEY, Esq.
H. H. HORTON, Esq.
E. L. DALEMEYER, Esq.
Hon. W. KESWICK, Esq.
M. GHORE, Esq.
A. P. McEWEEN, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER.
Hon. THOMAS JACKSON, Esq.
MANAGER.
Shanghai.—EWEN CAMERON, Esq.
LONDON BRANCH.—London and County Bank.

HONGKONG.

ON Current Deposit Account at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum on the daily balance.
For Fixed Deposits:—
For 3 months, 3 per cent. per annum.
" 6 " 4 per cent. " "
" 12 " 5 per cent. " "

LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.
Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
Drafts granted on London, and the chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

T. JACKSON,
Chief Manager.
Hongkong, December 31, 1885. 2120

THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL.....\$2,000,000
PAID-UP.....\$ 500,000

REGISTERED OFFICE.

40, THEBODURST STREET, LONDON.

BRANCHES:

In India, China, Japan and the Colonies.

THE Bank receives Money on Deposit, buys and sells Bills of Exchange, issues Letters of Credit, forwards Bills for Collection, and transacts Banking and Agency Business generally on terms to be had on application.

CLAIMS ON THE ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION FORWARDED ON ADVANTAGEOUS TERMS.

H. A. HERBERT,
Manager.
Hongkong Branch.
Hongkong, July 4, 1885. 1123

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to accept Risks on First Class Goods at 1 per cent. net premium per annum.
NORTON & Co., Agents.
Hongkong, May 10, 1881. 938

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

MR. CROFT, WILLIAM HOLLIDAY is Admitted a PARTNER in our Firm from this date.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1886. 1

A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED.
MR. JOHN DAVEY, the SECRETARY, is authorized to Sign for the Company in that Capacity.

JNO. D. HUMPHREYS,
General Manager.
Hongkong, January 20, 1886. 138

NOTICE.

THE INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITY OF MR. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GONSAVES in the Firm of Messrs. ROZARIO & Co., GRASSED on the 31st December last. The BUSINESS will in future be carried on by the Undersigned alone, under the SAME Style as heretofore.

AUGUSTO JOSE DO ROZARIO.
Hongkong, January 1, 1886. 14

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto existing between Mr. FRANCISCO MAMEDE GONSAVES and Mr. AUGUSTO JOSE DO ROZARIO, as ROZARIO & Co., MERCHANTS, of Hongkong, has this Day been DISSOLVED by Mutual Consent.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885.

WITH Reference to the above, I have this Day ESTABLISHED myself at this place, as MERCHANT, SHIPPING and COMMISSION AGENT, under the Style or Firm of GONSAVES & Co.

F. M. GONSAVES.
14, Aberdeen Street,
Hongkong, January 1, 1886. 2290

NOTICE.

WE Have authorized Mr. FRANK ERNEST NICHOL to Sign our Firm per Procuration.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, January 4, 1886. 25

Intimations.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TEMPORARY WARDMASTER Required for GOVERNMENT CIVIL HOSPITAL.
Enrolments—Forty Dollars (\$40) a month, with Quarters, Fuel and Light, and Three Suits of Drab Cloth annually.
Applications, with Copies of Testimonials, to be sent to the COLONIAL SECRETARY before Noon on the 20th Instant.

By Command,
FREDERICK STEWART,
Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Hongkong, January 23, 1886. 167

HONGKONG AND CHINA GAS COMPANY, LIMITED.

I HEREBY beg to notify that Mr. WILLIAM SIDNEY BAMSEY has been Appointed ASSISTANT MANAGER to the above Company from this date.

HENRY R. H. MARTIN,
General Manager.
Hongkong, January 13, 1886. 90

GRIFFITH'S

NEW VIEWS OF HONGKONG ARE NOW READY,

1, DUDDELL STREET.

GRIFFITH & Co.,

MANUFACTURERS

OF THE LONDON ERATED WATERS,

1, DUDDELL STREET,
Continue to Supply:

SODA WATER, LEMONADE, GINGERBREAD, RASPBERRYADE, SANGAPARILLA, &c., &c., &c.

At the same Moderate Charges.
Hongkong, June 9, 1885. 957

NOTICE.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

SHIPMASTERS AND ENGINEERS are respectfully informed that, if upon their arrival in this Harbour, NONE of the Company's FOREMEN should be at hand, Orders for REPAIRS if sent to the Head Office, No. 14, Praya Central, will receive prompt attention.

In the Event of Complaints being found necessary, Communication with the Undersigned is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dissatisfaction.

D. GILLIES,
Secretary.
Hongkong, August 25, 1885. 1438

DENTISTRY.

FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP. MODERATE FEES.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG,
Surgeon Dentist.

(FORMERLY ASSISTANT TO DR. ROGERS.)
At the urgent request of his European and American patients and friends, has TAKEN THE OFFICE formerly occupied by Dr. ROGERS.

No. 2, DUDDELL STREET.

CONSULTATION FREE.

Discount to missionaries and families: Sole Address: 2, DUDDELL STREET, (Next to the New Oriental Bank.)
Hongkong, January 12, 1886. 99

Business Notices.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

HAVE A FULL STOCK OF

New Saddlery and Saddlers' Goods,

Comprising:—

JOCKEY WHIPS.
DRIVING WHIPS.
DOG WHIPS.
SINGLE SNAFFLE BRIDLES.
DOUBLE SNAFFLE BRIDLES.
WEYMOUTH BRIDLES, BITS and BRADDOONS.
MARTINGALES.
SURCINGLES.
BODY ROLLERS.
HORSE CLOTHING.
WOOLLEN GIRTHS.
CURRY COMBS.
MANE COMBS.

FETLOCK BOOTS.
LADIES' HACK SADDLES.
GENTLEMEN'S HACK SADDLES.
RACING SADDLES.
SADDLE CLOTHS.
RACING SPURS.
MILITARY BOX SPURS.
HEAD COLLARS.
HEMP HALTERS.
STIRRUP LEATHERS.
STIRRUP WEBBING.
DRIVING REINS.
HORSE BRUSHES.
HORSE CLIPPERS.

DRIVING GLOVES.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Hongkong, January 21, 1886. 145

ROBERT LANG & Co.,

QUEEN'S ROAD (OPPOSITE HONGKONG HOTEL).

Scotch Tweed Suit, \$15.00.

Over 100 patterns of Stylish Tweeds of Exceptionally Good value to select from.

While advertising our Specialties we also wish to draw the attention of our Customers to our now complete Stock of TWEED SUITINGS, COATINGS, TROUSERINGS, SERGES, FLANNELS, &c. A large and choice selection of the newest FABRICS of English, Scotch and Continental Manufacture, from medium to the very finest qualities.

Hongkong, October 1, 1885. 1271

Victoria Hotel,

Praya and Queen's Road Central, Hongkong.

THIS Extensive and well-appointed Establishment, situated in one of the most central and airy positions in the Colony and commanding a splendid view of almost the entire harbour and within five minutes' walk of the principal Government Offices (including the Post Office), Banks, &c., has recently been most enlarged and improved and is now one of the principal Hotels in the place. The ROOMS are spacious, well ventilated and have just been refurnished in a most comfortable and handsome manner, suited to the requirements of the Far East. The Accommodation and Service of every kind will be found to be of the best description. An ample and varied TABLE D'HOTE is always provided and served in the spacious, large DINING ROOM.

THE HOTEL also contains handsome and comfortable Reception, Reading, Billiard and Smoking Rooms.

THE HOTEL is unsurpassed for comfort, convenience and quick service. Continental languages are spoken.

Messrs. DORABJEE & HING KEE, Proprietors.

Hongkong, September 16, 1885. 1612

W. POWELL & Co.

AGENTS FOR

JONES' CELEBRATED

SEWING MACHINES,

HAND AND TREADLE.

W. POWELL & Co.

VICTORIA EXCHANGE, January 23, 1886. 154

NOW READY.—PRICE, ONE DOLLAR.

THE HONGKONG ALMANACK

FOR 1886,

COMPILED BY

BRUCE SHEPHERD,

Consisting of 160 closely-printed Royal 8vo pages of Useful Information relating to the Colony, not otherwise accessible in any collected form.

KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

PUBLISHERS, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 23, 1886. 150

Intimations.

WANTED

A Situation as SHIPPING CLERK by a Portuguese, who has been lately in charge of a large SHIPPING DEPARTMENT in a Mercantile House. Good Reference and Testimonials. Apply to BATAVIA, c/o Poste Restante, Amoy. 30th December, 1885. 2281

NOTICE.

FOR the Convenience of Customers, the Productions of the "CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED," sanctioned by the RETAIL, FORWARD CASH, at No. 3, PRINCE STREET, at the same prices as at the "EXPORTER," or Retail Orders will be delivered at addresses in town on applications forwarding their Monthly Requirements in writing direct to the Representatives at East Point.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, July 27, 1885. 1282

Intimations.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMPANY, LIMITED.

DEBENTURE LOAN FOR.....\$300,000.

COUPONS for INTEREST falling due on 31st December, 1885, will be paid on presentation at the OFFICE of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hongkong, on and after that date.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885. 2285

NOTICE.

MR. WONG TAI-FONG, DENTIST, who is now ABSENT on a professional visit at Swatow, will be detained at that Port until the 25th January. He respectfully requests his Friends who desire to consult him to attend at his Office on or after the 26th Instant.

Letters addressed to No. 2, DUDDELL STREET, during his Absence, will receive immediate attention on his return.

(Next Door to Oriental Bank.)
2, DUDDELL STREET,
Hongkong, January 20, 1886. 126

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION OF HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PICTURES, GLASSWARE, &c.

THE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY,

the 28th January, 1886, at 2 p.m., at the Residence of R. A. GUNRAY, Esq., corner of Elgin Street,

THE WHOLE OF THE ELEGANT

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, comprising:—

CRISTONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITES.

ENGLISH-MADE MOROCCO-COVERED COUCH and EASY CHAIR, CLAYTON-MADE MARBLED, BLACKWOOD TABLE, HANDBOMED MIRRORS in Gilt and Ebony Frames, OIL PAINTINGS, ENGRAVINGS, JAPANESE EMPLAIS and ORNAMENTS, &c.

EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD, CUTLERY, PLATED GLASS, and CROCKERY WARE, &c.

Also HEISTERS with PATENT SPRING MATTRESSES, WARDROBES with GLASS DOORS, MARBLE-TOP WARDROBES and DOUBLE SETS, BUREAUS and GLASS, CARPETS, CURTAINS, &c.

A SQUARE PIANO, by HALLÉTT and CUMSTON, of Boston, &c., &c.

Catalogue will be issued, prior to the Sale, and the Articles will be on view on Wednesday, the 27th Inst.

G. R. LAMBERT, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January 20, 1886. 136

Intimations.

CHAS. J. GAUPP & Co.,

Chromometers, Watch & Clock Makers, Jewellers, Gold & Silversmiths.

NAUTICAL, SURVEYING and METEOROLOGICAL INSTRUMENTS.

VONTLANDER'S CELEBRATED BINOCULARS and TELESCOPES.

RIVIERE'S LIQUID and OTHER COMPASSES.

ADMIRALTY and IMRAY CHARTS.

NAUTICAL BOOKS.

English Silver and Electro-Plated WARE.

Christie & Co.'s ELECTRO-PLATED WARE.

GOLD & SILVER JEWELLERY, in great variety.

DIAMONDS

AND

DIAMOND JEWELLERY.

A Splendid Collection of the Latest LONDON PATTERNS, at very moderate prices. 742

THE SAN FRANCISCO CORDAGE COMPANY.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.

FOR SALE.

PURE MANILA and SIAL ROTES in Coils, from 6 Thread to 8 inches.

6 to 12 Thread MANILA, 12 Cents per lb. 1½ inch to 8 inches " 11 " "

Apply at the GODOWNS, No. 13, Praya Central.

Hongkong, December 31, 1885. 2239

KUHN & Co.,

(OF YOKOHAMA).

JAPANESE FINE ART EXHIBITION, HONGKONG HOTEL.

ORDERS, WHOLESALE and RETAIL, for EVERY DESCRIPTION of

JAPANESE MANUFACTURES promptly executed.

Hongkong, January 13, 1886. 91

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s PIERS and GODOWNS.

WEST POINT.

THESE are now in Working Order.—

STAMERS are moored at the Wharf, and Cargo received and stowed at Cheap Rates.

The GODOWNS are two storied, dry, airy, and well suited for the STORAGE of SILK, COTTON and WOOLLEN PIECE GOODS, as well as GENERAL MERCHANDISE.

Advances made on Cargo stored. For Rates and further Particulars, apply to the MANAGERS on-10.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Hongkong, December 2, 1885. 2092

HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Thirty-Ninth Ordinary Half-Yearly MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road Central, on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, for the purpose of receiving a Report of the Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing Directors and Auditors.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 17th to the 30th Instant, inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD, Secretary.

Hongkong, January 11, 1886. 78

CHEE WO-LING KEE

HAS always on Hand STEAM LAUNCHES FOR HIRE. Charges as follows:—

Wing-Shing, Wing-Chong, and Wing-Tye. For first hour, \$3. For every subsequent hour, \$2.

Wing-Fuk, Wing-Loy, and Wing-Lee. For first hour, \$3. For every subsequent hour, \$2.

Rates for towing Vessels and Cargo-boats, or use of Launches for Excursions to Macao, Canton, or other places may be arranged at No. 29, WING WO STREET.

Hongkong, June 13, 1885. 970

Shipping.

Steamers.

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCOWH.

The Co.'s Steamship *Haiphong*, Capt. F. AUSTON, will be despatched for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Inst., at Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 25, 1886. 161

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates for CHEFOO, HANKOW and Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Co.'s Steamship *Carlton*, Capt. BURNETT, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 27th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 162

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND ADELAIDE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

For Sale.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
VICTORIA EXCHANGE,
QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL.

HAVE JUST LANDED.

THE FOLLOWING

STORES.

York HAMS.
Sifton CHEESE.
Padding RAISINS (Valencia).
COURANTS (Patras).
MINCEMEAT.
CHRISTMAS CAKES.
FIGS.
ALMONDS and RAISINS.
Brial NUTS.
Soft-shell ALMONDS.
Meat FRUITS.
Crystallized FRUITS.

FRUITS in Syrup.
Imperial PLUMS.
Plum PUDDINGS.
COCAQUES.

CALIFORNIA PRODUCTS.
CONDENSED MILK.
KEROSENE LAMPS.
FAIRBANK'S SCALES.
COOKING STOVES.
PARLOUR STOVES.

THE USUAL ASSORTMENT

OILMAN'S STORES,

AND

WINES,

at the
Lowest Possible Prices
FOR CASH.

MacEwen, Frickel & Co.
Hongkong, December 1, 1885. 2084

To-day's Advertisements.

MEDICAL MISSIONARY SOCIETY
IN CHINA.

THE Forty-Seventh Annual Meeting
of the MEDICAL MISSIONARY
SOCIETY IN CHINA will be held at
the House of Messrs. Russell & Co., Canton,
on THURSDAY, the 28th instant, at 2 p.m.

Friends are invited to be present.
JOS. C. THOMSON,
Secretary.

Canton, January 25, 1886. 180

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of JOAO JOSE DA SILVA
E SOUZA, a Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a MEET-
ING of the CREDITORS of JOAO
JOSE DA SILVA E SOUZA, who was ad-
judged Bankrupt, on the 18th December,
1885, will be held before EDWARD JAMES
ACKROYD, Registrar of the Supreme Court,
at the Court House, Victoria, in the Colony
of Hongkong, on MONDAY, the 31st day
of February, at 11 of the Clock in the
Forenoon, precisely, for the purpose of
receiving a Statement of the Debts of the
Bankrupt, and of declaring a Dividend.
Dated this 21st day of January, 1886.

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of VIRGIL FAYRE, a
Bankrupt.

NOTICE is hereby given that a MEET-
ING of the CREDITORS of VIRGIL
FAYRE, who was adjudged Bankrupt on
the 14th October, 1885, will be held before
EDWARD JAMES ACKROYD, Registrar of the
Supreme Court, at the Court House, Victoria,
in the Colony of Hongkong, on WEDNESDAY,
the 10th day of February, at 2 of the Clock in the
Afternoon, precisely, for the purpose of receiving
a Statement of the Debts of the Bankrupt,
and of declaring a Dividend.
Dated this 21st day of January, 1886.

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the Matter of the Estate of ALBERT
EDWARD SALTER, Deceased.

THE OFFICIAL ADMINISTRATOR Requests
that all CLAIMS against the above
Estate may be sent in as soon as possible.
RECEIVED, SUPREME COURT,
26th January, 1886.

EDW. J. ACKROYD,
Registrar.

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To-day's Advertisements.

THEATRE ROYAL.
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

Under the Patronage of His Excellency
the OFFICER ADMINISTERING the
GOVERNMENT (W. H. M. A. R. S. H.).

A COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT
will be tendered to

TO-MORROW EVENING,
the 27th January, 1886.

LADY & GENTLEMEN AMATEURS,
on which occasion will be produced

HAWLEY'S CELEBRATED COMEDY
'THE PRIVATE SECRETARY.'

By kind permission of Colonel FORSTER,
the Band of the 88th Northampton-
shire Regiment will play Selections
during the Evening.

Seats can now be booked at Messrs.
KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.
Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 175

THE HONGKONG CHORAL
SOCIETY

A CONCERT
in

ST. ANDREW'S HALL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG,
ON

SATURDAY EVENING,
the 30th instant.

PROGRAMME.

PART I.
'MAY QUEEN,'
(By Sir W. STEPHENSON BENNETT).

Chorus:—How mu Awake! Awake!
Recit and Air (Tenor):—O meadow elad in
early green.

Chorus:—Go round.
Recit and Duet (Tenor and Soprano):—The
jolly to hunt.

Air (Bass):—The jolly to hunt.
Recit and Trio (Sop. Ten. and Bass):—Hark!
Hark! their notes the
hobbyhobby well.

Solo and Chorus:—And the clock-bell
passed away.

Interval of 10 Minutes.

PART II.
Song (Contralto):—Charity.
Duet:—How mu Awake! Awake!
Song:—Sing away, bird.
Sextette:—La Carita.
Song:—One word.
Duet:—One word.
Song:—One word.
Glee:—One word.

'GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.'

ADMISSION—TWO DOLLARS.
By Tickets only.

Seats may now be booked at Messrs.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

Doors open at 8.30; Concert to commence
punctually at 9 p.m.

ALFRED J. MAY,
Hon. Sec.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 176

BRITISH BARQUE EME, Captain
SUMNER, FROM LONDON.

CONSIGNERS of Cargo by the above
Vessel are hereby requested to send
in their Bills of Lading to the Under-
signed for countersigning, and to take
immediate delivery of their Goods from
alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge will be
at once landed and stored at Consignees'
risk and expense.

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 178

BEN LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

The Co.'s Steamship
Benary,
Captain L. BOUTILLIER,
will be despatched as
above on or about the 3rd February.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 177

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.

The Steamship
Ludia,
Captain Voss, will be
despatched for the above
Ports on THURSDAY, the 28th inst., at
4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 179

STEAM TO BOMBAY VIA STRAITS.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
Steamship
Bangalore
will leave for the above
places on WEDNESDAY, 3rd February,
at 2.30 p.m.

A. McIVER,
Superintendent.

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,
Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 174

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION
COMPANY, LIMITED.

FROM CALOUTA, PENANG AND
SINGAPORE.

The Company's S.S. *Wingang*, having ar-
rived from the above Ports, Consignees
of Cargo by her are hereby informed that
their Goods are being landed at their risk
into JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.'s West
Point Godowns, whence delivery may be
obtained.

Cargo remaining undelivered after the
3rd February will be subject to rent.
No Fire Insurance has been effected.
Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,
General Managers.

Hongkong, January 26, 1886. 173

Not Responsible for Debts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for any
Debt contracted by the Officers or
Crew of the following Vessels, during
their stay in Hongkong Harbour:—

ANNA W. WESTON, Amer. barque, Capt.
W. M. Duncan.—Gibb, Livingston & Co.
AKARIA, British barque, Capt. Chas. J.
Robinson.—Douglas Laiprak & Co.

CAIRO-REX, American ship, Capt. W.
F. Stetson.—Messageries Maritimes.
COLOMBO, American barque, Capt. J. D.
Wynn.—Arnold, Karberg & Co.

GROBE, British barque, Capt. William
Grant.—Captain.
GREAT SUNDAY, American barque, Capt.
Chas. L. Funn.—Order.

HEBEL, American ship, Captain E. A.
Day.—Order.
SOUTHERN CHIEF, American ship, Capt.
J. Ross.—Captain.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.
January 26, 1886.—
Soudon, British steamer, 509, A. Hunt,
Glasgow December 6, and Singapore Jan.
19, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Per brand, British gunboat, 460, Comdr.
D. L. Dickson, Amoy January 24.
Canton, British steamer, from Whampoa.

Foldi, British ship, 500, F. D. O'Connell,
Tianai Jan. 2, Amoy 23, and Swatow 25,
General.—DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP CO.

Kong Beng, British steamer, 822, R.
Jones, Bangkok January 19, General.—
YEN FAT HONG.

Ena, British barque, 774, Summers,
London September 25, General.—SIEMSEN &
Co.

Wingang, British steamer, 1,517, A. de
St. Croix, Calcutta January 9, and Singa-
pore 10, General.—JARDINE, MATHESON &
Co.

Ellen A. Reid, British ship, 1,750, Hat-
field, Cardiff August 26, Coal.—Order.

DEPARTURES.
January 26.—
Moray, for Saigon.
Jari, American gunboat, for Singapore.
Yangtze, for Europe.
Carabrook, for Saigon.
Bat-kai-ying, Chinese gunboat, for Can-
ton.

CLEARED.
De Boy, for Singapore.
Ceylon, for Hongkong.
Hainan, for Canton.
Atlanta, for Shanghai.
Johanna, for Hongkong.
Nanshan, for Swatow.
Ardre, for Saigon.
Decatur, for Saigon.
Nanshan, for Hongkong.

PASSENGERS.
Amoy.
Per Fokien, from Coast Ports, Capt.
Anderson, Mr. Woswick, 13 distressed Sea-
men, a Corvett, and 40 Chinese.

SHARE LIST.—QUOTATIONS.

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Pay- up.	POSITION PER LAST REPORT.	Balance, forward.	Last Dividend.	Closing quotations, 25th.
BANKS.							
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	60,000	121	128	\$ 5,000,000	\$ 50,779.22	2 1/2 half year	190 prem. cash, buyers
INSURANCE.							
North-China Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	208	56	4,401,623.02	10 %	Tls. 300 per share	Tls. 128
Yangtze Insurance Company, Ltd.	8,000	2	25	50,000			
Union Insurance Society Co., Ltd.	2,000	1,254	125	534,000	496,529		\$450 " ex div. seller
China Traders Insurance Co., Ltd.	24,000	83.36	25	600,000	200,735.71	18 % annual	\$60 p. sh. cash, ex div., buyer
Canton Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,000	284	60	155,000	242,276	10 %	\$81 " ex div.
Chinese Insurance Co., Limited.	1,500	1,000	200	28,711.56	Credit balance		\$175 per share ex div., buyers
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	8,000	255	50	900,009.66	297,563.07	\$30 " 1883	\$305 " cash, buyers
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.	20,000	100	20	647,500	191,060.69	\$5 for 1883	\$84 " cash, buyers
STEAM COMPANIES.							
H.K. & M. Steamship Co., Ltd.	8,000	109	75	205,236.53	4,603.98	6 1/2 half year	69 prem., cash, firm
Douglas Steamship Co., Limited.	20,000	50	50	86,764.16	402.22	12 % year-end	Par, sellers
Indo-China S. N. Company, Limited	18,387	10	10				6 1/2 discount, cash
60,000 shares issued	31,212	10	10				5 1/2 discount
China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.	3,500	100	all				
MISCELLANEOUS.							
H'kong & Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd.	10,000	125	128	18,000	4,230.01	6 1/2 half year	78 % prem., cash
H.K. and China Gas Co., Limited	5,000	10	10	8,562.17			\$120 per share
New Shares	1,900	10	10				Old, \$155 per share ex div.
Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd.	2,000	10	100		2,236.76	Old, \$2	Now, \$7 1/2
5,000 shares issued	1,000	10	100		13,274.03		\$65 per share, cash
China Sugar Company, Limited	9,000	10	100		235.33	\$125	\$167 per share, cash
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	1,250	10	100		442.11	\$125	\$85 " cash
Hongkong Bakery Company, Ltd.	5,000	50	50		839.03		\$20 " buyers
Luzon Sugar Company, Limited	7,000	10	100				\$8 " cash
Pearl Tin Mining & S'ing Co., Limited	6,000	50	all			First year do.	\$80 " cash
Selangor Tin Mining Co. (S'ing)	2,500	100	all				\$5 " buyers
Poujeon & Sanghie Doo Samatun Mining Co.	40,000	10	5				\$8 " cash
H'kong Rops Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	3,000	50	all			First year do.	\$80 " cash
LOANS.							
Chinese Imperial 1881	8,548	500	all	8 %	Jan 1st Dec. 11		2 % prem.
" 1884	2790	500	all	8 %	March 15		2 % prem.
" 1884	2790	500	all	8 %	June 30		2 % prem.
" 1884	2790	500	all	8 %	Oct 15		2 % prem.
Suez Debentures 1880	600	500	all	8 %	Jan 1st Dec. 11		2 % prem.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Daylight.—*Wingang* leaves for Coast
Ports.

3 p.m.—*Qanton* leaves for Shanghai.

4 p.m.—*Memuir* leaves for Australia
Ports.

Sargasso leaves for London.

Amusements.

9 p.m.—Performance at the City Hall.

General Memoranda.

THURSDAY, January 28:
2 p.m.—Auction of Household Furniture,
&c., at the residence of R. A. Gubbay,
Esq., at corner of Elgin Street.

SATURDAY, January 30:
3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of the
H.K. & M. Steamship Co., Ltd.,
at No. 7, Queen's Road Central.

SUNDAY, January 31:
Goods per *Lybia* undelivered after this
date subject to rent.

MONDAY, February 1:
Goods per *Steamer Andary* undelivered
after Noon subject to rent and landing
charges at 1 cent per package per diem.

WEDNESDAY, February 3:
Goods per *Wingang* undelivered after
this date subject to rent.

THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.

CHRISTMAS AND NEW YEAR
GOODS

are now being SOLD OFF
at

REDUCED PRICES:

BONBONS and CRACKERS in great variety.
ORNAMENTAL BOXES.
CHOCOLATE CAKES.
CRYSTALLIZED FRUITS.
And

PURE CONFECTIONERY
OF ALL KINDS.

A. S. Watson & Co., Limited.
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HONGKONG, THURSDAY, JANUARY 26, 1886.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUB CANAL.
OUTWARD BOUND:—*Oxfordshire*, November
1; *Leam*, November 17; *Nympha*,
November 20; *Avon*, December 15;
Frisch, Dec. 22; *Benary*, *Stentor*, *Rhai-*
na, *Marie*, Dec. 29; *Canton*, Jan. 1;
Glenavon, *Telemachus*, Jan. 5; *Bron-*
shire, *Compton*, *Ulysses*, *Wladislaw*,
Jan. 6; *Elektra*, *Ulex*, *Mareen*, Jan.
12; *Andalus*, *Foregarde*, *Thor*,
Jan. 15; *Amphibia*, *Jason*, Jan. 19;
Devonshire, *Strathlen*, *Formosa*, Jan.
22.

HOMELAND BOUND:—*Glenfalloch*, Jan. 6;
Avon, *Leam*, *Glenavon*, Jan. 12;
Avon, Jan. 19; *Glenavon*, *Ironside*,
Jan. 22.

The next ENGLISH MAIL, per the P. & O.
Co.'s steamer *Thames*, left Singapore
for this port on Saturday, the 23rd
inst., at daylight, and may be expected
here on or about Friday, the 29th
instant.

THE P. M. S. Co.'s steamer *City of Sydney*
left Yokohama for this port on
Saturday, the 23rd instant, and may
be expected here about Friday, the
29th inst.

The O. & O. Co.'s steamer *Oceanic* left San
Francisco for this port on the 9th Jan.,
and may be expected here on or about
the 9th February.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Stentor*, from
Liverpool, left Singapore for this port
on the afternoon of the 25th inst., and
may be expected here on or about the
27th inst.

The Shire Line steamship *Merionethshire*,
from London, left Singapore for this
port on the 21st inst., and may be
expected here on or about the 29th
inst.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer *Formosa*, from
London, left Singapore on the 22nd
inst., and may be expected here on or
about the 29th inst.

The

Profit & Loss Account.

Dr.
1886 Deco.
To Amount paid for Extraordin-
ary Repairs to Steamers and
Wharves..... \$10,253.75
By Amount of Bad Debts writ-
ten off 173.58
To Balance to be appropriated,
viz :—
Dividend @ 8 % on
\$300,000..... \$48,000.00
To be carried to De-
preciation and In-
surance Fund..... 98,000.00
To be written off the
value of Cargo-
boats..... 1,000.00
Directors' and Auditors'
or Fees..... 2,700.00
Balance to be carried
to new Account.... 34,522.05 124,272.05

Cr.
\$191,704.38

1885 June.
By Amount brought forward
from last Account..... 8,283.57
Deco.
By Net Earnings of Steamers... 132,101.80
By Interest on Investments..... 4,229.26
—————
\$134,705.38

Depreciation & Insurance Fund.

Dr.
1885 Deco.
Fo balance \$502,000.00

Cr.
—————
\$502,000.00

1885 June.
By Amount at Credit..... \$207,000.00
By Amount brought from Profit
and Loss a/c for the half-year
ended 30th June, 1885..... 55,000.00
—————
\$262,000.00

E. & O. E.

Hongkong, 22nd January, 1886.
J. ARNOLD,
Secretary.

We have compared the above Statement
with the Books, Vouchers and Securities of
the Company, and certify the same to be
correct.

L. HAUSCHILD, } Auditor.
A. O'D. GOULDING, }

Police Intelligence.
(Before A. G. Wils., Esq.)
Tuesday, January 26.

LARCENY FROM THE PERSON.

Wong Kien Kwun, coolie, was convicted
of enacting five \$1 notes from Taag Assan,
a boat builder, at 2.30 p.m. yesterday,
at Mong Kok Tsai, and was sentenced to
six months' hard labour.

A DANGEROUS CHARACTER.

Cheung Azee, coolie, was charged with
being a rogue and vagabond on the 25th
inst., P.C. Hadden, who went to Mong Kok
Tsai, to look after some men who had com-
mitted a robbery met the prisoner who
appeared to be bulky with articles under
his clothes. He refused to tell the con-
stable what he had about him and tried to
draw a revolver and a knife that he had
about him. He was sentenced to three
months' hard labour as a rogue and
vagabond.

ROGUE AND VAGABOND.

John Driscoll, a sailor unemployed, was
found drunk in the streets on the 23rd
inst., and having no visible means
of subsistence, and three previous convictions
recorded against him, was sentenced to
three months' hard labour as a rogue and
vagabond.

(Before both Magistrates.)

Leung Atung, a hawk, was convicted
of stealing a pair of jadestone earrings,
value \$21, from the person of a girl named
Suk Sun Tsui on the 25th inst., and
was sentenced to eighteen months' hard labour.

LATE TELEGRAMS.
(Rangoon Gazette).

Athens 8th Jan.—The Hellenic Govern-
ment has now adopting a conciliatory policy
towards Turkey—the Greek Consul in
Crate who was obnoxious to the Bulling
Porte and for whose expulsion and order
had been issued by Savas Pasah has been
re-called.

Constantinople, 8th Jany.—The Porte
has commanded the order issued for
the mobilization of the second class reserve
in Syria as well as the departure of the
first class reserve for Salonica.

Madrid, 8th Jany.—A protocol has been
signed to day giving England all the com-
mercial advantages and facilities for the
formation of coaling stations etc. in Ger-
manies similar to those granted to Ger-
many.

Mr Lucy has been appointed Editor of
the Daily News.

Constantinople, 9th January.—Latest ad-
vices received from Hedjaz state that the
insurrection there is extending and that the
rebels between Jeddah and Mecca are
now being aided by insurgents.

Quotations.

Hongkong, January 26.

OPIUM—New Patna, cash..... 665 @ 507½
“ Old “ do “ .. 645
“ New Bazaar, cash..... 545
“ Old “ do “ .. 520 nom.
“ New Malwa, cash..... 530
Allowance, Teals..... 48 @ 56
Old Malwa, cash..... 540/550
Allowance, Teals..... 16 @ 32
Persian, Ugly, cash..... 470 @ 500
Allowance, Teals..... 16 @ 32
Persian, Only..... 510 @ 620
Allowance, Teals..... 16 @ 32

Exchange.

Hongkong, January 26.

Bank, Wire..... 3/3¼
“ Demand..... 3/3¼
“ 30 days sight..... 3/4
“ 4 months sight..... 3/4¼
Gold, do..... 3/4¼
Documentary 4 month sight..... 3/4¼
India, Wire..... 32½
“ demand..... 22½
Shanghai, demand..... 71½
“ 30 days sight, private..... 72½
Gold Leaf 99½ fine..... £30.00
Sovereigns..... £ s 5/2

Temperature.

Taken at Marine Police-office & Co.'s Premises,
Queen's Road.

Barometer—9 A.M..... 30.00
Do..... 1 P.M..... 29.98
Do..... 4 P.M..... 29.90
Thermometer—9 A.M..... 57
Do..... 1 P.M..... 57
Do..... 4 P.M..... 53
Do (Wet bulb) 4 P.M..... 54
Do..... 9 P.M..... 55
Do..... 12 M..... 56
Do Maximum..... 59
Do Minimum over night..... 52

